

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**Applicant:** Daniel Watson

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POLYCRYSTALLINE DIAMOND (PCD)  
AND POLYCRYSTALLINE DIAMOND  
COMPACT (PDC) MATERIAL

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**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED OCTOBER 24,  
2007**

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 24, 2007, having a shortened statutory period set to expire on January 24, 2008, Applicant respectfully requests entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks.

**Applicant is filing a response to the Final Office Action along with a Request for Continued Examination.**

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on Page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on Page 7 of this paper.